

# **2006 JUDICIAL ELECTIONS SEMINAR & WEBCAST**



## ***BALLOT ACCESS, PETITION, CIRCULATION, & AFFIDAVIT REQUIREMENTS***

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## MICHIGAN ELECTION LAW

### Act 116 of 1954

AN ACT to reorganize, consolidate, and add to the election laws; to provide for election officials and prescribe their powers and duties; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, state agencies, and state and local officials and employees; to provide for the nomination and election of candidates for public office; to provide for the resignation, removal, and recall of certain public officers; to provide for the filling of vacancies in public office; to provide for and regulate primaries and elections; to provide for the purity of elections; to guard against the abuse of the elective franchise; to define violations of this act; to provide appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; and to repeal certain acts and all other acts inconsistent with this act.

**History:** 1954, Act 116, Eff. June 1, 1955 ;-- Am. 1994, Act 441, Imd. Eff. Jan. 10, 1995

**Popular Name:** Election Code

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